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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Four negro fishermen drowned off Cape Henry, Va. —— Sugar refiners announce a reduction in prices. —— Miss Caroline Lewis Gordon, daughter of Gen. Jno. B. Gordon, married yesterday in Atlanta to Orton Bishop Brown, of Maine. —— Baseball game at Little Rock, Ark., broke up in a row; the umpire and one of the players were arrested and put in jail. —— Two trainmen killed in a collision on the Illinois Central railroad. —— Severe storm at Norfolk, Va.; streets are flooded. —— Cloud-burst at Americus, Ga., caused damage estimated at $50,000. —— Heavy rains have caused serious damage in Georgia, Alabama and other States. —— Dr. John H. McKowen was shot and killed yesterday by State Senator R. E. Thompson at Baton Rouge, Louisiana. —— New York markets: Money on call firmer at 3½@5 per cent., the last loan being at 4 per cent.; cotton quiet, middling uplands 8 5-16c; flour—the market was unsettled; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red 76½c; corn—spot easy, No. 2 64½c; oats—spot steady, No. 2 39c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 18

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 81 degrees; 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 65 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.76; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 2.77 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 14 feet and rising.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Heavy rains have fallen in the eastern districts. At Charlotte, 2.16; Cheraw, 3.40; Lumberton, 2.09; Raleigh, 2.40; Wilson, 2.10; Goldsboro, 1.95. Clearing and much cooler weather prevails over the greater portion of the cotton belt.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The northwest storm signal was displayed at 10,20 A. M. The storm was then central near Savannah, moving northwestward. Heavy rains reported from many points in the South Atlantic States.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—For North Carolina—Fair Thursday, except rain and cooler in extreme eastern portion. Friday fair; warmer; northerly winds; high on the north coast.

Port Almanac—September 19.

Sun Rises	5.45 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.02 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 17 M.
High Water at Southport	11.45 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	2.13 A. M.

By a singular coincidence the day of the late President McKinley's funeral falls on the anniversary of President Garfield's death twenty years ago.

The death penalty for murder has been restored in Iowa and Colorado. This leaves only four States—Wisconsin, Michigan, Rhode Island and Maine—in which the death penalty is not inflicted.

A question has arisen in this State as to whether a dog's evidence should be taken in court when dogs are used by officers to help them run down a criminal. Why not? No danger of the dog's lying or perjuring himself.

Pennsylvania comes to the front with the meanest man on deck. He has sued the girl who jilted him for the presents he gave her when he was "a courtin' of her" and for the cost of the marriage license in which he had invested when he thought he had a dead sure thing on her.

There is a war on in Japan against rats. Between the 12th and 26th of August Tokio got away with 209,062. The Government pays a reward for every one slaughterd. When they find the rats too numerous in any particular locality to get rid of by other means, they set fire to the houses and cremate them.

English actors have conspired to knock out American actors who have been invading the London boards. They have hired a lot of fellows to attend the plays and hiss the American actors. If they keep on at this we will have to send over some of our retired prize fighting play actors.

A remarkable feat in building-raising has just been accomplished in Chicago where a seven-story structure was lifted twenty-one and a half feet, without as much as cracking a glass. Chicagoans are remarkable for the facility with which they lift things. They have been known to carry off a hot stove.

Gov. Allen, of Porto Rico, reports that out of the 158,570 couples living in wedlock there 84,242 couples have not been married, but simply live together by mutual agreement. The reason given is that these people are too poor to pay the marriage fees. Most of them are negro ex-slaves. This kind of pairing was recognized under Spanish rule.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, was here yesterday.

— Mr. J. W. Murchison has returned from Black Mountain.

— Major Chauncey Ives came in yesterday from Philadelphia.

— Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., is in Norfolk on professional business.

— Mrs. Herbert Borden returned last night from a pleasant visit North.

— Miss Bettie Pearsall left yesterday to visit friends at Staunton, Va.

— Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sholar left yesterday morning for Baltimore on a pleasure trip.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stone have returned from a very pleasant visit to friends at Shallotte, N. C.

— Misses Anna Parsley and Mary Payne left yesterday to resume their studies at St. Mary's School, Raleigh, N. C.

— Miss Bettie Hanson left yesterday, accompanied by her her father Mr. L. Hanson, to enter Elizabeth College, Charlotte.

— Mr. J. W. Norwood returned yesterday from Washington where he attended the President's funeral as one of the representatives of North Carolina.

— Miss Lucy Cole, who has been visiting in Durham, has returned from that city to Randolph Macon College for Women to resume her studies.

— Mr. Andrew Moreland, cashier of the Atlantic National Bank, returned yesterday morning from an extended trip North. He stopped in Washington Tuesday to witness the funeral ceremonies over the body of the late lamented President.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Mr. B. F. Bullard, vice president of the Southern Naval Stores Company, of Savannah, Ga., who has been here on a visit to his old home, Stedman, in this county, went down to Wilmington yesterday afternoon.

THE PRICE OF COTTON SEED.

Farmers Asked to Resist Alleged Attempt to Depreciate Value of Product.

Commissioner of Agriculture S. L. Patterson has issued from his office at Raleigh the following circular letter to the farmers of the State:

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 16.—In view of the concerted efforts which it seems from the published dispatches are now being made by the leading purchasers of cotton seed of Louisiana, Mississippi and other cotton producing States to fix a market price for seed far below the present price, and for much less than the probable output of the present crop ought to command—especially so when the extreme shortness of the corn crop is considered—action ought to be taken by the farmers to counteract these unfair schemes and to secure for their seed product such values as conditions properly warrant.

I am informed that efforts along this line will be made in other Southern States, and I therefore most heartily endorse the call issued by Mr. T. B. Parker, Secretary of the North Carolina State Alliance, for a meeting of the farmers in their respective counties on Saturday, the 21st inst., to select delegates to attend a State meeting in Raleigh on Wednesday, the 25th inst.

When men for selfish purposes combine together to "fix" prices to be paid for farm products far below the true value of such products by shutting off competition, it is time for farmers to take some action to defeat such nefarious schemes, and to "fix" themselves in such position as to be able to hold their products until the natural law of supply and demand can have its legitimate sway. Respectfully,

S. L. PATTERSON,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

Lieutenant Platt Transferred.

The numerous friends in Wilmington of Lieutenant William P. Platt, U. S. A., will be interested in the announcement that he has received a deserved promotion in a transfer from Fortress Monroe to the barracks at Salt Lake City, Utah. Lieutenant Platt expects to leave for his new post in a short while, and to visit his old home in Wilmington for a few days prior to his going.

Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers were filed for record at the Court House yesterday as follows: Stephen Sneeden to John J. Hawkins, for $32.25, tract of land embracing two and fifteen-hundreth acres at high water mark on Bradley's creek, adjoining the right of way of the Seacoast railroad; Stephen Sneeden to George H. Rogers, for $380, tract adjoining above and containing twelve and one fifth acres.

Death of Infant Daughter.

Ada, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert King, died at the family home in Wilmington early Tuesday morning. The remains were taken to Ashton yesterday morning for interment accompanied by the infant's grandfather, Mr. J. M. King and Mr. J. D. Baerman.

A. & Y. Train Late.

The A. & Y. train last night was about an hour and a half late on account of waiting for connections delayed by the heavy rains. Other trains yesterday, for the most part, were on time.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Market Notice—Stall renting.
W. B. Cooper—Baking powder.
Savings Banks—No business to-day.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost—Gold brooch.
Lost—Greenback ($10).
Philadelphia Clothing Co.—Wanted
Miss Fannie Corbett—Fletcher music method.

HONOR DEAD RULER.

Memorial Services at the Several Churches This Morning at Eleven O'clock.

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE.

Hour of President's Funeral in Canton To-day Will Find Many in Wilmington Gathered in Sympathy—Elaborate Musical Programme.

All arrangements are complete for the memorial services in Wilmington to-day in honor of the late President of the United States. It will be in fact a day of mourning throughout the city and everywhere will be outward signs of the Nation's grief. Aside from the closing of business houses for the entire day on the wharf, the banks, both National and savings institutions, the Produce Exchange, the lumber mills, the real estate offices, the Court House offices and many other places will cease operations for the whole day and with the great majority of retail houses the hours of the funeral in Canton will also be observed by the closing of doors. Summed up as a whole, the Memorial Day in Wilmington promises to be quite as elaborate, just as appropriate and just as sincere as in any city of its size in the South.

The greatest interest of course centres in the memorial services proper this morning at the First Baptist and St. James' Episcopal churches. At the Baptist church there will be joint exercises by representatives of all congregations except those of the Episcopal faith, who will gather in joint meeting at St. James' for divine services by the Rev. James Carmichael, D. D., rector of St. John's parish. The colored churches will also observe the funeral service generally. At St. Mark's Episcopal church, colored, a feature of the service will be a eulogy of the life and character of the late President by Collector of Customs Jno. C. Dancy, of this port.

The tolling of bells will announce the services at the churches and the public generally is invited to attend.

The joint services at the First Baptist church will begin with the funeral dirge, "Departed Comrades," (Keller) by the Second Regiment Band, which will play from the gallery over the entrance to the church. This will be followed by the singing by the congregation of "My Country! 'tis of Thee," and an invocation. "Remember Now Thy Creator" (Rhodes) will next be rendered by a special male quartette, consisting of C. H. Cooper, first tenor; R. F. Fowler, second tenor; Jas. S. Williams, first bass, and A. S. Holden, second bass.

The scripture reading will be from both the Old and New Testament by two city pastors.

A prayer will follow the reading and then will come three ten-minute addresses by three ministers of the city.

Upon conclusion of the addresses, Miss Mattie Horne will sing the solo, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," composed by the late E. VanLaer, of this city. This will be followed by prayer and the singing by the congregation of the late President's favorite hymn, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," which will immediately precede the benediction.

Mr. E. H. Munson, assisted by Mr. Alf. H. Yopp, will be the organist, and the choir will be composed of representative singers from all the churches. Others who can contribute to the singing are asked to occupy the seats immediately to the right and left and in front of the pulpit. Programmes containing words of the hymns will be distributed.

Members of the Second Regiment Band are asked to meet at the Wilmington Light Infantry armory at fifteen minutes to 11 o'clock for the purpose of marching to the church in a body.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice Sept. 11th, 1901.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Sallie Aycock, Elizabeth Bettes, Mrs J R Berry, Lula Cox, Isla Cooley Josephine Darnelson, Mrs Maggie Davis, Mary Grun, Mary Haigh, Emma J Hicks, Alice Jones, Mrs Geen Jones, Mrs J L Mack, Susan McDonald, Sarah Mathews, Jane Robins, Lina J Stillman, Mary A Whisler, Mary Walker, F J Urkhart.

MEN'S LIST.

Chas Anderson, G A Baro, J A Bloun, Jas A Dodd, John Dawson, Jas Dawson, Jno Freeman, Wm J Gordan, Robt Hines, Robt Hines. B T Jones, M S Kiser, J H McMillan, Theo De Latruff, John Nally, N Richson, W Swain, W Sossamean, L J Singletery, Jas Thomas, W S Woodward, M Wallias, E Wright, C S Ward, Wil. Grocery Co., Dann Shadeland.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

Lizzie Williams.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DAMEY, Postmaster.

Southern League Scores.

The following are the scores of yesterday's baseball games in the Southern League: Selma 7, Memphis 2; Memphis 9, Selma 1; Shreveport 1, Chattanooga 3; New Orleans 6, Birmingham 0; New Orleans 7, Birmingham 0.

Real Estate Agents Will Close.

The following real estate agents have signed an agreement to close their offices during all business hours to-day: W. M. Cumming, J. G. Wright & Son, D. O'Connor, Andrew Smith and J. M. Bunting.

UNITED STATES BUILDINGS.

Why They Are Not Draped in Mourning in Times of Great National Grief Like the Present.

The more observant have been inclined to ask for the past several days why the postoffice and other United States buildings are not draped in mourning as a mark of respect to the deceased President.

It is a very natural inquiry to those who remember the elaborate draping of buildings of like character after the death of the late Presidents Garfield and Lincoln, and Assistant Postmaster T. E. Wallace, with whom a reporter talked last night, gave the solution to what the ordinary individual would likely construe as a neglect.

It is not that the people employed in the buildings are out of harmony in the least with the great spirit of mourning of the hour, explained Mr. Wallace, but that there is an act of Congress of camparatively recent enactment prohibiting the draping of public buildings on any account and the postoffice people or employes of other buildings, for that matter, do not feel like going in the face of the law, although their desires and public opinion might sustain such a course.

The act, Mr. Wallace says, was evidently framed to check the custom of draping for minor officials which had become at one time, perhaps, over-burdensome and too common. It was also framed perhaps without contemplation of the great mourning that would necessarily follow the death or assassination of a president or vice president. It is expected that the law in the near future will be so changed as to meet extraordinary conditions like the present.

THE GULF STORM WAS HERE.

Rainfall Yesterday Was Heavy and the Weather Much Unsettled—Wind Did Not Reach High Velocity.

Wilmington had a real touch of the Gulf storm yesterday and last night and though it was a few days late, according to the Weather Bureau schedule, its presence did not have to be proclaimed from the house-top and the average citizen was willing to concede that the real article was with us. The wind did not attain a dangerous velocity on land but what was lost in this respect was gained in amount of rainfall.

The rain began a little after 9 o'clock yesterday morning and up to noon the fall was 1.06 inches. In the afternoon, shortly before 4 o'clock, the floods came again and for a while there were remarks about "the bottom having dropped out," but the fall was not so large as in the forenoon.

At nightfall there was a sudden drop of the temperature and people thinly clad began to inquire for wraps, but the change was rather welcomed after the torrid weather of the past few days.

The wind came in gusts last night with some rain. Marine men say the weather must have been rough on the "outside" but no direct information was obtained.

Warnings for a rapid rise in the Cape Fear during the next two or three days have been issued. The water is expected to reach 30 or 35 feet but not to pass the danger line at Fayetteville.

WERE MARRIED YESTERDAY

Miss Mary McArtan, of Fayetteville, Became the Bride of Mr. Fred L. Pearsall, of Wilmington.

Mr. Fred L. Pearsall, a popular young business man of this city, and Miss Mary McArtan, a charming young lady of Fayetteville, were quietly married yesterday morning at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. John McArtan, at "Linden," near Fayetteville. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for Staunton, Va., where they will spend their honeymoon, later returning to Wilmington, their home in the future. At Wilson they were joined on their wedding tour by Miss Bettie Pearsall, who accompanied them to Staunton.

The Fayetteville *Observer* has the following account of the marriage:

"Mr. Fred L. Pearsall, son of Mr. Oscar Pearsall, of Wilmington, and Miss Mary McArtan were married at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. John McArtan, at Linden this morning by Rev. Stedman Black.

"After a beautiful wedding breakfast, the party, consisting of the bride and groom, Miss Florence Pearsall, Messrs. L. E. Halt and H. Lacy Hunt, of Wilmington, and Mr. James M. Black, of Red Springs, drove to this city, arriving here at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

"Mr. and Mrs. Pearsall will leave to-night for an extended northern trip. The others returned home on the afternoon train.

"Miss McArtan is one of the loveliest young ladies of this section, and her host of friends in Fayetteville and Cumberland county wish her and her popular young husband a happy journey through life.

Dr. C. P. Wertenbaker.

In a private letter from Dr. C. P. Wertenbaker, who was for several years the popular surgeon in charge of the Marine Hospital here, he asks to be most kindly remembered to his friends in Wilmington. Dr. Wertenbaker is now medical officer in command of the New Orleans Marine Hospital and is making many friends in the "Crescent City." Of his residence in Wilmington, Dr. Wertenbaker writes: "I recall my stay in Wilmington with much pleasure and feel that I have some warm friends there."

SEABRIGHT ASHORE.

Wilmington Steamboat Caught in a Gale Off Bald Head Tuesday Afternoon.

BELIEVED TO BE LEAKING.

Capt. Hewlett and Crew Rescued From Life Saving Station, Where a Cargo of Lumber and Other Material Had Been Towed.

The sturdy little steamboat *Seabright*, Capt. Geo. C. Hewlett, of the Wilmington and Little River Transportation Company, went ashore early Tuesday afternoon on Bald Head Island, to the east of the light station, and is reported to her agents, Messrs. Stone, Rourk & Co., of this city, as being in a perilous position. They hope, however, on high tide this morning to float the steamer and bring her up to the city practically free from serious injury.

The *Seabright* left Wilmington late Monday afternoon with a tow of flats laden with lumber and other material for the new light station now being constructed on the island. She arrived all safe, docked the flats and was waiting off shore for a discharge of the lighters, when a sharp gale came on about 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and sent the staunch little craft away up on shore. The life saving crew perceived the danger of the boat and came immediately to the rescue of Capt. Hewlett, Engineer Jno. Bell, a colored fireman and a colored cook, composing the crew. They were landed safely on the island but the steamer is still on the shoals. The wind was blowing furiously and with the very rough sea, it was exceedingly fortunate that the crew was saved. The boat had no cargo, of course, except stores.

The position of the stranded steamer is about 200 yards from the channel and close upon the shore. At low tide she is almost on the island itself. It is reported that a large hole was jabbed in the hull of the vessel, but Captain Hewlett, who came up to the city yesterday to report to his owners, says he does not think material injury has been done in this respect, though the hold of the boat is pretty well filled with water.

The steamer *Compton* belonging to the same owners, will be taken by Capt. W. A. Sanders to the scene of the wreck very early this morning and work will immediately be commenced on flood tide to float the stranded steamer.

A PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

Miss Della Maude Powell Wedded by Mr. E. Clayton Moore Last Night—Reception Afterwards.

A very beautiful ceremony was performed last night at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure who at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. W. E. Powell, No. 509 North Fourth street, joined in matrimony Miss Della Maud Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Powell, of Weldon, N. C., and Mr. Edward Clayton Moore, a popular and well known young business man of this city.

The wedding was quiet but exceedingly pretty and in good taste. There were present to witness the event a number of friends and relatives of the happy young people to the marriage vow. The residence was handsomely decorated and brilliantly lighted with electrics and Japanese lanterns. The parlor where the ceremony was performed was prettily decorated with ferns.

The bride entered the parlor from the main hall, leaning upon the arm of the groom and the words that made them man and wife were impressively spoken by Dr. McClure. There were no attendants. The bride was handsomely costumed in a gown of organdie, trimmed with lace and white satin ribbon. She carried a lovly shower bouquet of bride roses and maiden hair ferns.

After the ceremony there were many congratulations and expressions of best wishes at an elegant reception at which those who assisted in receiving were: Miss Lucy Moore, Mr. Lynn Moore, Miss Grace Smith, and Mr. Walter Williams. A course of delightful refreshments was served during the progress of the reception. Many costly and handsome bridal presents were displayed, among them being a gift to the groom of a splendid buffet by his fellow clerks at the department store of Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co., where Mr. Moore is manager of the clothing department.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore will reside in the future at No. 708 Princess street.

Signor H. DeTrafford.

Mr. J. Keener Westbrook and his company of select vaudeville artists, who will shortly begin a tour of North and South Carolina towns, have secured the services of Signor H. DeTrafford, an eminent pianist of high excellence. Signor DeTrafford, though an Italian, is a graduate of the London (Eng.) Conservatory of Music, and is said to be a musician of great talent.

Damage to Streets.

Superintendent of Streets J. M. Woolard was busy between showers yesterday in making a tour of the city, inspecting the damage by wash-outs to streets and sidewalks. He said there was no great damage by reason of the excessive rainfall, but it will take a pretty general overhauling to get the minor damages repaired.

LOCAL DOTS.

— There will be no prayer and praise meeting to-night at the First Baptist Church.

— The next attraction at the Opera House is Hennessey LeRoyle in "Other People's Money" Friday night week, September 27th.

— License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Miss Deemie Currie, daughter of Mrs. Anna Currie, to Mr. Frank T. McDougald, both of Wilmington.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Our former townsman, Judge Thomas C. Fuller, has returned to Raleigh from Asheville, where he has been for two months. His health continues very feeble."

— Justice Fowler has not yet rendered a decision in the case of Webb vs. the Western Union Telegraph Company, mention of which was made in these columns yesterday. He will likely do so to-day.

The Pan-American Exposition.

Will close October 31st. Those who have not yet visited this marvelous Wonderland are reminded that the time is growing short. In order to permit every citizen in the territory traversed by its lines to take the trip, the Seaboard Air Line Railway has placed in effect a rate of practically one fare for the round trip to Buffalo and return; tickets on sale September 3d to October 20th, inclusive; tickets good to return within twenty days from date of sale. This liberal concession should meet with a hearty response on the part of the travelling public, and many will doubtless avail themselves of the opportunity of attending this last and largest of National Expositions.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.

That desirable Store, including second floor, No. 109 Market street, at present occupied by The Ludden & Bates Music House. Apply to
ANDREW SMITH,
sep 14 1m Real Estate Agent.

FOR RENT,

Or will lease for a term of years the Double Store on Water street, between Chesnut and Mulberry, occupied several years by the Willard Bag Manufactory.
D. O'CONNOR,
aug 14 tf Real Estate Agent.

MARKET NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Stalls and Stores of the city will be rented at Public Auction on Friday, September 20th, commencing at Fifth Ward Market House at 11 A. M., reaching Fourth Street Market House about 11.45 o'clock A. M., and Front Street Market House about 12.35 P. M. Stalls will be rented upon the cash premium plan. No bids will be received from delinquent renters, nor will sub-letting be allowed.
J. F. MAUNDER,
Chairman Market Committee.
sep 19 1t

Tumbler Baking Powder

9110 11 in 5c Tumbler Powder.
898 15 in Jersey Baking Powder.
9115 09 in P. & M. Baking Powder.
9106 03 in G. L. Powder.
9210 00 in Horsford's Powder.
9815 98 in New Mullets.
9796 85 in M. P. Oats.
9215 16 in White Seed Oats.
9149 53 in Seed Rye.

W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer.
306, 310, 312 Nutt street.
Wilmington, N. C.
sep 19 tf

Seed Rye and Wheat.

40 bushels Seed Rye.
40 bushels Seed Wheat.

Mullets,

150 Bbls. Nice Mullets.
Also Bagging and Ties and car-loads of other stuff.
Get our price.

D. L. CORE CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
120, 122 and 124 North Water Street,
sep 18 tf Wilmington, N. C.

BECAUSE!

I am not going to establish a branch store nor am I going to change business.

BECAUSE

The people are satisfied with my Goods and prices and I am satisfied with my sales and profits.

N. F. PARKER,

Furniture and Furniture Novelties,
Bell 'Phone 613 111 Market street.
sep 17 tf Inter-State 421.

JUST OPENED

At No. 108 North Water Street

with a full and complete line of fresh groceries at wholesale. We have

Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meal, Molasses

and a full line of case goods. New catch Mullets just in.
Fresh Cheese and Butter arriving every week. Prices guaranteed. Treatment fair.

PETER McQUEEN, Jr.,
Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,
sep 6 tf No. 108 North Water St.

WILMINGTON SEACOAST R. R.

On and after Monday, September 9th, 1901, the schedule will be as follows until further notice:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6 30 A. M.	7 45 A. M.
10 10 A. M.	11 30 A. M.
2 30 P. M.	5 00 P. M.
6 30 P. M.	9 00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
2 30 P. M.	5 00 P. M.

There will be the usual late train Friday night, September 6th, on account of yacht races and club dance. The Saturday night late train has been annulled.

Freight will be carried on 10.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M. trains.

H. C. GRANT,
sep 5 tf Superintendent.

NO BUSINESS WILL BE TRANSACTED

By the Savings Banks of this City To-day, Thursday, Sept. 19th, 1901.

THE WILMINGTON SAVING & TRUST CO.
THE PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK.
sep 19 1t

SEASONABLE GOODS

MULLETS, new catch.
Best Cream Cheese,
Martin's Gilt Edge Butter,
Bagging and Ties,
SALT.

A GENERAL LINE OF CASE GOODS DEMAND AT THIS SEASON.

Sole agents for
ROB ROY FLOUR.

McNAIR & PEARSALL.
sep

TRY US.

We have Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Cakes, Crackers, Candies,

Soap, Snuff, Soda,

Starch, Lye, Potash, Lard, Meal, Hominy, Molasses, Nails, Tobacco, Smoking and Chewing.

and a full line of Canned Goods. All of which we offer to the trade at living prices.

Williams Bros.
jo 28 tf

WHAT IS GHOST FURNITURE? It is furniture that has no body. Looks very fine, but has no strength at all—all varnish and glare. Do not buy it, even if the price is away down.

What Is Good Furniture?

A question easily answered. Our Furniture! There is an exposition of Dining Room, Parlor and Bedroom Furniture here that needs few words of praise from us. Quality is stamped all over each article.
And that quality isn't high priced.

MUNROE & KELLY'S,
No. 17 South Front street.
Bell 'Phone 118. sep 17 tf

Bagging and Ties.

Salt on hand and cargo to arrive.

Molasses,

Imported and Domestic.

Cheese, Full Cream.
Sardines, Salmon, Cakes.
Dunlap Meal.
Corn, Oats, Hay.
Lime, Cement.

The Worth Co.
sep 13 tf

NOTICE.

Just arrived car load Horses; several will weigh from 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., and lots of all classes of Stock on hand also. We carry the biggest stock of Buggies and Harness in the city, and at the lowest prices. Balance of this month will sell Buggies at cost to make room for car load due September 15th. For bargains call and see.

Wilmington Live Stock Co.
aug 20 tf

NOTICE.

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Carolina Central Railroad Company.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., Sept. 3rd, 1901.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company will be held in the Front street office of the company in the city of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, on Thursday, the 3rd day of October, A. D., 1901, at 1 o'clock P. M.
JOHN H. SHARP,
sep 3 1m Secretary.

YOUR BOY

Is a great possibility, capable of yielding rich returns for your sacrifice for his Education. Place him where he will be faithfully looked after, thoroughly trained for College or business and developed in moral, manly principles. The Howell Military Academy offers just such an opportunity for the education of your boy. Opens September 19th.
ANDREW J. HOWELL, Jr.,
an 31 2m Principal.

WRIGHT,

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 19.

THE SHOE MEN WANT FREE HIDES

The Boston *Commercial Bulletin* is a protection paper and believes in protection as long as it does not adversely affect the constituency which it represents. But that's the way it is with all the protection organs; they believe in it until it hurts some of the industries in which they are interested, and then they want to get rid of it. The shoe making industry of Massachusetts is an important one, there is much money invested in it, and it gives employment to a great many people. This industry is hurt by the protective tariff on imported hides and leather, and therefore the shoe men want imported hides and leather put on the free list, and the *Commercial Bulletin* voices their demand. In a recent issue it put in the following plea as an argument against the tariff duty on hides and leather:

"At the next meeting of Congress several important questions will be brought up relative to the now existing tariff laws. At the present time trade associations are organizing towards cutting off or adding to the free and dutiable lists. The movement attracting the greatest attention in the shoe and leather markets is that dealing with the taking off of the 15 per cent. duty on hides imported.

"When this duty was imposed it was done at the dictation of a few handlers of domestic hides, probably without thought of the serious effect it was to have on the then growing export business of the boot and shoe industry of this country. When the list showing that a duty was to be imposed, was first brought before Congress in 1897, shoe manufacturers and tanners worked for its downfall, but without success. Manufacturers of leather do not suffer anything more than an inconvenience as they are allowed a drawback on all leather exported that is made from a foreign hide, but the shoe manufacturer is badly handicapped.

"Under the existing laws the shoe manufacturers in foreign countries can buy American made leather, after all the expenses incurred in transportation have been deducted, cheaper than our home manufacturers can. There is a law which allows the shoe manufacturer a ninety-nine per cent. rebate, but this means but little to them as will be seen by a careful reading of the following letter recently received by the Collector of the Port of Boston from Assistant Secretary Taylor, of Washington:

'The entry under which the merchandise is to be inspected and laden must show, separately, the marks and numbers of the shipping cases and the contents of each case as described in the export invoice. Attached to the entry and forming a part thereof shall be a tabulated statement showing the number and styles of each kind of shoe contained in the shipping cases, and the number and description of the part on which drawback is claimed.

'The said entry must further show, in addition to the usual averments, that the exported merchandise was manufactured of the material and the manner set forth in the manufacturer's sworn statement dated January 11, 1901, transmitted for your official information and guidance.

'As a part of the drawback entry and a prerequisite to the liquidation, the manufacturer shall file a certified copy of the tannery record covering the sole leather used in the shoes included in the drawback entry, or an extract frow such tannery record and the certificate of the manufacturer of such leather, for purposes of identification.

'In liquidation, the weights of leather consumed in the manufacture of the several parts, which may be taken as bases for allowance of drawback, may be those declared in the drawback entry, after official verification of exported quantities and kinds, but in no case shall such weights exceed 1800 ounces for each one hundred parts of shoes exported.'

"The above letter was written owing to the fact that a Campello shoe manufacturer claimed a drawback on men's shoes, the outer soles, counters, heels and top lifts of which were made from sole leather purchased from imported hides.

"The shoe factories in this country can produce in eight months as many shoes as will be consumed by the American people in a year. This means that foreign markets have got to be found for the other four months' production or that the factories will have to suspend operations for that length of time. With these facts so well known it is hoped that the next Congress will help in the further opening of the doors of foreign markets by placing hides on the free list."

The shoe manufacturers opposed putting a duty on hides because it would make leather cost them more. The big butchers of the west were too much for the shoe manufacturers and got the hide-taxing clause through, but to placate the shoe men the politicians who manipulated the tariff bill gave them a rebate when they exported shoes made out of imported leather, or from leather made from imported hides, to compensate them for the duty paid on the leather. But this didn't work because it was so complicated and so troublesome that it was very difficult for the shoe manufacturers to comply with it and get the benefit of the rebate.

The American tanner is protected against the foreign leather maker by the duty on leather, a duty which enables him to export leather and sell it for less money than the American purchaser has to pay, and thus the foreign shoe maker gets his leather for less money and has that advantage over the American shoe maker who undertakes to compete with him. This shows how the protective tariff operates against the American shoe maker who is dependent upon foreign markets for his prosperity inasmuch as the home market cannot consume all the shoes our factories can make, not more two-thirds of them, if they work to their full capacity. They must, therefore, find foreign markets for the other third or reduce the output.

But when they go to a foreign market with the other third they have to compete with shoemakers who can buy all the American leather they want for less money than the American manufacturer can. It goes without saying that this is a very heavy handicap for the American when he competes with the foreign shoemaker. If it were not for the fact that American genius has supplied him with machinery for making shoes and he has the services of men who understand how to operate such machinery he could not compete with the foreigner who gets his leather free of duty and buys American leather cheaper than the American can.

Of course this is a troublesome obstacle in the way of the American shoe exporter in his efforts to build up a trade in foreign countries, and it shows how in the effort to favor one industry by tariff protection it is done at the expense of another and greater industry. It also shows with what injustice the tariff sometimes operates, and how one industry is cramped and taxed to help another which does not need such help, and for the helping of which there is no decent excuse.

But there are other things as well as hides and leather, the taxing of which works hardship and loss to industries as important if not more important than they are. Free wool is as necessary as free hides. When the Wilson-Gorman tariff put wool on the free list it stimulated the woollen manufacturing industry, and if wool had remained on the free list the probabilities are that our woollen mills would now not only be supplying the home market, but be doing a large export business in woollen manufactures.

The Boston paper is right. The duty should come off imported hides and leather, and also off wool, and some other raw materials, and thus put our manufacturers on the same footing with their foreign competitors.

THE TRUST AND THE COTTON FARMERS.

As another illustration of the "beneficence" of Trusts, the leading cotton seed oil men have had a meeting at New Orleans and fixed the price they will pay for seed this year, acting on the presumption that the planters and ginners will have to take that price or keep the seed. Of course arbitrary action like this will evoke protest, as it should, and the protest should be general. The Farmers' Alliance of this State has taken the matter in hand and the following address has been issued by the secretary, Mr. F. B. Parker:

HILLSBORO, N. C., Sept. 15, 1901.

To the Cotton Farmers and Ginners of the State:

Through the courtesy of the editor I address to you this letter on the cotton seed subject, and trust that it will be accepted by each reader as personal letter to him. I know of nothing that should call for prompt action on the part of the farmers more than this.

The action of the National Oil mill men in New Orleans on the 5th, where they met privately and fixed the price to be paid for cotton seed the coming season at 13 cents free on board boats with the usual rebate which is equivalent to 12 cents free on board the rail, as though the farmer had no voice in the price his products should sell for, should call for a protest from every cotton farmer of the South. This is but a foretaste of what the trusts will do for the farmers when they get them under full control. If the spirit of American independence which has characterized North Carolinians has waned may its fires be re-kindled in the breast of every farmer on account of this action of the oil mill men. If you believe the farmer is entitled to a voice in naming the price at which his cotton seed shall sell, go to your court house next Saturday, the 21st, at 12 o'clock, and there unite with your fellow farmers in saying so and in protesting against the action of the New Orleans oil men. Select a strong delegation to attend the State meeting in Raleigh the 25th. Do not stay away and expect your neighbor to go, but go yourself and take him with you. This appeal is not made to any special class of cotton farmers, but to each and every one in the State. There is no time now for divisions or quibblings, but all should work in harmony with each other. We also invite the business and professional men to join us in this movement. Their presence and influence will be appreciated.

A letter just received from Harvie Jordan, President of the Southern Cotton Growers' Protective Association, states that he is in full sympathy with the movement and that he will endeavor to get the farmers in every Southern State to co-operate with us. With determination on the part of the farmers the price fixed by the oil mill men can be "unfixed" as was the price of jute bagging ten years ago.

The farmer who refuses to act now should in the future keep quiet about the oppressions of the Trusts, for he practically surrenders his birthright. The farmers have the key to the situation. Let there be unity of action and succes will be certain.

T. B. PARKER.

Some years ago when the cotton-bagging trust, assuming that they had the cotton-growers in their power, put up the price of bagging, the planters of this State, under the lead of the Alliance, organized and whipped the bagging trust. If they show the same determination now they can whip the oil trust easier than they did the bagging trust then, for they are not compelled to sell their seed at the price the trust fixes.

A Philadelphia doctor has figured out that the lack of proper sanitation, and the consequent deaths, sickness, etc., costs this country annually $2,979,500,000. He claims that at least one-third of this loss of life and sickness is the direct result of defiance of the rules of sanitation, and could be prevented if State and other governments would take the necessary steps.

ROOSEVELT ON THE SOUTHERN SOLDIER.

In writing of Theodore Roosevelt, now President, some time ago we remarked that the South had no reason to feel apprehensive on account of his becoming President, for he had never manifested any unfriendliness to the South, but on the contrary, when he had occasion to speak, had spoken kindly. Some time ago, in a letter to Gen. Rosser, of Virginia, he referred to the fact that he had Southern blood in his veins, his mother being of Southern birth—a Georgia lady. In as much as he was then nursing political aspirations there may have been policy in this, to win friends in this section, but when he published the life of Thomas H. Benton in 1889 he was not nursing political aspirations, and therefore there could be no suspicion of politics in the following tribute, in that work, to the Confederate soldiers and to their great chieftain, Robert E. Lee:

"The world has never seen better soldiers than those who followed Lee, and their leader will undoubtedly rank as without exception the very greatest of all the great captains that the English-speaking peoples have brought forth—and this, although the last chief of his antagonists, may himself claim to stand as the full equal of Marlborough and Wellington."

That he said this in sincerity there can be no doubt, and the fact that he did say it when there could have been no selfish motive in it is creditable to him as a broad and liberal-minded man, even in these days of broadened liberality. It is a noble tribute to the Southern soldier and to the matchless leader, and it is also a tribute to Roosevelt himself.

BOOK NOTICES.

The October number of *The Smart Set* presents an interesting and varied list of contents by sprightly writers. Readers have various fancies but there are few who will not find much in this number to interest them. Published by The Essess Company, 1135 Broadway New York.

"When Love Flies Out O' the Window" is the title of a very interesting story in the September number of Appleton's "Town and Country Library." It is a clearly printed, neatly bound volume of 330 pages, and interesting from beginning to end. Published by D. Appleton and Company, New York.

CURRENT COMMENT.

— The proper way to knock the life out of anarchists of Czolgosz's kind is to print nothing they say, do, or how they appear. Put them in jail—and then silence until they are convicted and punished. Anarchy lives on notoriety.—*Mobile Register, Dem.*

— Anarchist Czolgosz is getting a great deal of unwholesome publicity. The least said about this young man, the better for the public weal. It is the publicity which follows crimes of this kind that makes them attractive to morbid and adventurous spirits.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

— In General Kitchener's latest report he describes the 681 Boers killed, wounded and captured since September 2 as his "bag." This application of the vernacular of sport to the African war is an official stigmatization of the same as a man hunt—which, indeed, it is, and nothing more.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

— "Charles A. Towne," says the Indianapolis *Sentinel*, "was happy in the suggestion that the death of Mr. McKinley would be a terrible calamity not only in itself, but because of the succession. Mr. Roosevelt's character and career are not such as to inspire confidence in his fitness for the Presidency." This is probably the opinion of far more than half the people in the country, but it is not necessary to emphasize it just now. And, besides, Mr. Roosevelt has never been tried as a President. The responsibilities of the office may change his disposition very greatly. Let him have a fair trial and judge him on his merits.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

TWINKLINGS.

— Auntie—Don't you want to go to Heaven? Johnny—I don't know. I think it must be a place where people spend their time behaving themselves.

— Say pop, remarked little Willie is corn raising infant industry. No, my boy, answered the head of the house. Well, what do they need cribs for?

— No Deferred Payments — Is your daughter learning to play by note? Certainly not, answered Mrs. Cumrox, a little indignantly. We pay cash for every lesson. The idea! —*Washington Star.*

— Stubbs—"Sort of an endless chain down to our house." Penn—"Indeed?" Stubbs—"Yes; my wife blew me up, the cook blew my wife up, and the gasoline stove blew the cook up."

— In the Future—First Billionaire's Son—What did you get for your birthday? Second Billionaire's Son—I got a railroad. "That's nothing. I got a whole system."—*Life.*

— The Usual Fate: "What has become of that octogenarian who was telling us the other day how to live to be a hundred years old?" "He died at the age of eighty-two."—*Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.*

— Diplomacy—First Boy—It's 6 o'clock. Let's go home. Second Boy—Nit! If we go home now we'll git licked fer stayin' so late. If we stay till eight we'll git hugged and kissed fer not being drowned.—*Puck.*

— On the Line: Old Lady—Can you tell me, if you plaze, where I'll get the Blackrock tram? Dublin Car Driver—Begorr, ma'am, if you don't watch yourself, you'll get it in the small of your back in about half a minute.—*Punch.*

— A Natural Query: Mamma (who is expecting the minister)—Willie, we will have a very nice old gentleman to tea this evening, and you must be very good while he is here. Willie—Why, is he Santa Claus?—*Philadelphia Press.*

— The Schemer: Dick—"Everybody's remarking how soft you are on that wealthy Wilfel. What are your chances with her?" Jack—"Very promising. She likes me pretty well, and I'm doing my best now to get her parents dead-set against me."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Like an Employe: When the night watchman found a strange man stealing funds from the vault of the bank, his indignation knew no bounds. "You've got your nerve!" exclaimed the watchman, "Anybody'd think you was employed here really!"—*Puck.*

— Bill—Don't you think that there is more in anticipation than in realization? Jill—Well, I believe there is more satisfaction in lying about the fish than in catching them, if that's what you mean.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

— Not Convinced—Male Guest—"You must admit one thing. Though American women cannot vote, they are well taken care of." Mrs. Strongmind—"They are, are they?" Male Guest—"Um! You never see any bent-up old women here." Mrs. Strongmind—"No; when women become too old to be offered seats in street cars, they get straightened out hanging to straps."—*New York Weekly.*

No Right To Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes; smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a rundown invalid. Only 50c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, soften the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Newbern *Journal*: Tuesday's election, held by the city, to vote on the matter of an issuance of $15,000 of bonds, to build an electric plant, was exceedingly quiet, few votes being cast, there seeming to be a general ignorance on the question, therefore no interest and a disinclination to cast a vote. No figures of the vote were obtainable Tuesday night, and as a majority of the registered vote was necessary to carry for bonds, the few votes cast fell far short of being sufficient.

— Wilkesboro *Hustler*: We are informed that the oldest son of B. Morris, a Jew, was murdered on Whitetop mountain, Ashe county, a few days ago. He was a peddler and was supposed to have a lot of money on his person. It was not supposed that anything was wrong until his horse was found wandering around attached to the wagon. A search was instituted and his body was found buried on the mountain. However, the murderers and would-be-robbers failed to find the money of their victim. It was discovered by those who found him in his shoes—$150. We are also informed that there is a clue as to the guilty party.

— Monroe *Journal*: Again there is talk of a furniture factory in Monroe. The *Journal* learns that several men who have the means say that they are ready to invest in such an enterprise. —— We learn from a reliable source that Monroe is soon to have a bottling establishment, for the purpose of manufacturing carbonated water, ale, etc. Artesian water will be used. —— From the amount of hay to be seen on the streets these days one would think that stock and cattle raising and not cotton growing was one of the principal industries of this section. Load after load of it comes in and is placed on the market every day—and wagon loads of it may be seen standing on the streets at any time in the day. It is bringing only 25 cents a hundred.

Winston *Sentinel*: Thos. Glenn, M. D. Bailey, Jr., and other sportsmen engaged in a fox hunt Saturday night. After a lively race until nearly midnight, the dogs lost the track and the hunters returned home without their game. Sunday morning the fox was found dead on the railroad track, near the Davis school. It was killed by the train. —— The sheriff of Wilkes has organized a party to pursue Red Parks, a negro who is charged with breaking the locks and opening two switches near Rural Hall several days ago, causing the wreck of two trains. It is charged that Parks boarded the excursion train from Winston, and he was put off for not having a ticket. This made him mad with the railroad and he opened the switches. Parks confessed to his people, who did not hesitate in spreading the news. The scamp then fled, going in the direction of Iredell county. A railroad man says they have all the evidence necessary to convict Parks. It is believed that the negro has gone to the mountains.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: Charles Young, colored, his wife and their little 2-year-old daughter were instantly killed by lightning at Parkton, Robeson county, Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Young and his wife were picking cotton on the farm of Mrs. J. A. Lancaster, and their three children were sitting under a walnut tree near by. A shower of rain came up and Young and his wife joined the children under the tree, the mother taking her baby, less than a year old, in her lap. The husband was leaning on one side of the tree, the wife with the baby on the other, the 2-year-old daughter between them, and one older child some little distance in front. In the twinkling of an eye a bolt of lightning struck the tree and, running down on either side to the very points where the mother and father sat, killed them instantly. The little girl who sat in the middle was also killed, but, strange to say, the baby was found in its dead mother's arms uninjured. The other child was also unhurt. The bodies were all found in the exact position which they occupied when struck and showed no evidence of mutilation whatever.

A KIDNAPING PLOT.

It Was to Capture Jay Gould and Hold Him For Ransom.

"An elaborate plot was once laid to abduct Jay Gould and hold him for ransom," said an old railroad man. "The papers got some inkling of it afterward, but the whole story was never told, and the incident is now generally forgotten. The job was put up by a former curbstone broker of New York, who meditated it for several years and finally took a couple of desperate crooks into his confidence.

"Their plan was to seize Gould during a visit which he had arranged to pay to a resort in the White mountains and to carry him off to a cabin in a remote and inaccessible part of the forest. Then the ex-broker proposed to go to New York, walk into the millionaire's office and demand the ransom from his son George. He intended to put the young man on notice that if he was detained or followed or molested in any manner his father would certainly be murdered, and he relied upon bluff and audacity to carry the scheme through. The ransom decided upon was $100,000, and the scoundrels made very elaborate preparations, including even the provisioning of the cabin.

"What might have been the outcome is hard to say, but a woman who knew of the scheme and had been badly treated by the broker gave the plans away. I've been told by one of the Gould system secret service men, who was in New York at the time, that the old gentleman took it very coolly and remarked that he could map out a campaign on the Stock Exchange that would clean up a good many times the amount of his ransom while he was being held in the woods. I have often thought that perhaps the ex-curbstone broker meditated something of the kind himself. Of course if the trick had been turned the Gould securities would have played all kinds of antics for a few days, and a man who knew how the affair was going to eventuate could have made a fortune.

"For some reason none of the people implicated were arrested, but for a long time afterward special precautions were taken whenever Mr. Gould traveled out of the city. As a matter of fact, he maintained a much stronger bodyguard of detectives than anybody dreamed of, and during the latter years of his active life it would have been practically impossible for a stranger to have approached him unchallenged. It was a well organized system, and Mr. Gould was indebted to it for his singular immunity from annoyance by cranks."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The world is probably a little larger than you think it is, and you are probably a little smaller than you think you are.—Chicago News.

If you want to live long, do your best and let others do the worrying.—Saturday Evening Post.

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Gonzalo De Quesada, Secretary of the Cuban Legation in Washington.

Senor Quesada, Secretary of the Cuban Legation in Washington, is an orator born. In an article in The Outlook for July, 1899, by George Kennan, who heard Quesada speak at the Esteban Theatre, Matanzas, Cuba, he said: "I have seen many audiences under the spell of eloquent speech and in the grip of strong emotional excitement, but I have rarely witnessed such a scene as at the close of Quesada's eulogy upon the dead patriot, Marti." In a letter to The Peruna Medicine Company, written from Washington, D. C., Senor Quesada says:

"Peruna I can recommend as a very good medicine. It is an excellent strengthening tonic, and it is also an efficacious cure for the almost universal complaint of catarrh."

Gonzalo De Quesada.

Peruna does not operate upon the system as the usual remedy does. It is not a local treatment. It operates as a systemic remedy. It gives tone to the weakened nerve centers, and thus gives tone to the mucous membranes that line the various organs of the body.

Catarrh is always located in some mucous membrane. Catarrh is a flabby condition of the blood vessels of these membranes. Peruna gives tone to these vessels and restores them to their natural elasticity.

Miss Martha Wittkopp writes from Greenville, Mich., the following: "When I began your treatment I had catarrh of the head, nose, throat, stomach and pelvic organs. I was troubled with hawking and spitting, caught cold very easily, had almost constant headache. My stomach was all out of order, I did not sleep well, and was more tired in the morning than when I retired. I had backache and was very nervous, in fact, the catarrh had permeated my entire system, and I almost despaired of getting well.

"I wrote you for advice and you advised Peruna. I began to gain right along, and am now well. My parents praise Peruna very much. As for myself, I can't speak well enough of it. I am well and happy and enjoy my life as I never have before. I cannot remember when I have felt as well as I do now."

Congressman Bankhead, of Alabama.

Congressman J. H. Bankhead, of Alabama, one of the most influential members of the House of Representatives, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., gives his endorsement to the great catarrh remedy, Peruna, in the following words: "Your Peruna is one of the best medicines I ever tried, and no family should be without your remarkable remedy. As a tonic and a catarrh cure I know of nothing better."

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, September 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel for strained and $1.00 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.35 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet and steady at $1.00 per barrel for hard, $1.90 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 36@35½c; rosin dull at $1.15@1.20; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine steady at $1.10@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	38
Rosin	73
Tar	88
Crude turpentine	43

Receipts same day last year—85 casks spirits turpentine, 261 bbls rosin, 51 bbls tar, 44 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 8c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 7-16	cts
Good ordinary	6 15-16	" "
Low middling	7 7-16	" "
Middling	8	" "
Good middling	8 5-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 10¼c for middling.

Receipts—693 bales; same day last year, 2,432.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 60c; extra prime, 55c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 70@75c. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75c.

CORN—Firm; 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13 to 14c per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12c; sides, 11 to 12c.

EGGS—Firm at 16@16½c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 22 to 25c; springs, 10@20c.

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5¼@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Nothing doing.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Money on call was firmer at 3½@5 per cent.; the last loan 4 per cent., and the ruling rate 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@6 per cent. Sterling exchange steadier; actual business in bankers' bills at 484¾@485 for demand and 482½@482¾ for sixty days. Posted rates were 483¼ and 486. Commercial bills 481¾@482¼. Bar silver 58½. Mexican dollars 45¼. Government bonds strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 106¾; U. S. refu'g 3's, coupon, 109; U. S. 3's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108; do. coupon, 108; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon, 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 112; do. coupon, 113; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 108; coupon, 108; Southern Railway 5's 116¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 104¼. Chesapeake & Ohio 46¾; Manhattan L 119¾; N. Y. Central 157¼; Reading 42¾; do. 1st pref'd 76¼; do. 2nd pref'd 83¼; St. Paul 163¾; do. pref'd, 188; Southern R'way 34¼; do. pref'd 89; Amalgamated Copper 105⅜; American Tobacco 85; People's Gas 109; Sugar 134¾; T. C. & Iron 63¾; U. S. Leather 13; do. pref'd, 81; Western Union 93¾; U. S. Steel 43¾; do. preferred 94½; Mexican National 14¾. Standard Oil 756@770; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., 60; do preferred 123¾.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 18.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 28@28¼; do. preferred, 50½@50¾. Bonds—4's 84@84¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 18.—Spirits turpentine firm at 33c. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 18.—Spirits turpentine quiet at 33¼; receipts 1,1585 casks; sales 903 casks; exports 216 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,785 barrels; sales 2,138 barrels; exports 3,165 barrels. A, B, C, 95c@$1 00; D, $1 00@1 05; E, $1 10; F, $1 12½@1 15; G, $1 20@1 25; H, $1 35@1 30; I, $1 40; K, $1 85; M, $2 25; N, $9 60; W G, $3 00; W W, $3 50.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The market for cotton futures opened steady with prices four points lower to two points higher. The decline was in near months only and was in response to disappointing Liverpool cables. The late months stiffened upon very bad crop and weather news. Following the call the entire list advanced quite sharply to five points above last night's closing quotation on a scare of shorts and very active new buying. Liverpool made a quick turn and advanced in keeping with the improvement here, at the same time sending liberal buying orders for January cotton. The private wires from Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi declared that the rains of yesterday had done great damage to open cotton. More rain was forecasted for to-day and to night over this same district. Texas reports indicated a shorter crop than heretofore figured on. Before 11 o'clock liquidation of a preholiday order weakened the market rapidly, demand for investment account being light, while shorts were quick to take advantage of the pressure thus brought to bear. By midday January had broken to 7.70 against 7.84 in the first hour. Heavy western selling of cotton bought on the rise of yesterday was the chief feature in the selling, though New Orleans sent large selling orders here. In the last half hour the market advanced six points on active covering and on reports that spinners had purchased 2,000 bales in the open spot market. The market was finally steady, with prices net three to four points lower.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 8 5-16c.

Cotton futures market closed steady, as follows: September 7.73, October 7.71, November 7.72, December 7.75, January 7.76, February 7.77, March 7.78, April 7.80, May 7.80.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 1-16c lower; middling uplands 8 5-16c; middling gulf 8 9 16c; sales 2,100 bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 850 bales; stock 87,605 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 22,180 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,850 bales; exports to the Continent 476 bales; stock 242,357 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 73,028 bales; exports to Great Britain 19,881 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 32,946 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 181,696 bales; exports to Great Britain 78,866 bales; exports to France 11,243 bales; exports to the Continent 56,518 bales.

Sept. 18.—Galveston, firm at 8 1-16c, net receipts 7,427 bales; Norfolk, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 381 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 8¾c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, firm at 8c, net receipts 698 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8 9-16c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 1,040 bales; New Orleans, easier at 8 1-16c, net receipts 6,391 bales; Mobile, quiet at 7¾c, net receipts 539 bales; Memphis, steady at 8 1-16c, net receipts 1,176 bales; Augusta, steady at 7 15-16c, net receipts 170 bales; Charleston, firm at 7¾, net receipts 888 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Flour—market was unsettled and less active, closing easy. Rye flour quiet. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 76½c. Options closed weak at ¼@⅝c net decline. Sales—No. 2 red May closed 80c; September closed 74⅞c; October closed —c; December closed 76¼. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 64½c. Options closed weak at 1⅛@1⅜c net loss: May closed 64⅞; September closed 63¾c; October closed —; December closed 63¾c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 39c. Options were irregular and active, following corn. Butter was firm; creamery 15@21c; State dairy 14@19½. Cheese steady; fancy large white 8¾c; fancy small white 9¼c. Pork firm. Lard strong. Coffee—Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice 5¾c. Cabbage—Market steady; Long Island flat Dutch, per 100 $4 00@5 00. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 18@19c. Peanuts steady; fancy handpicked 4¼c; other domestic 2¾c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3¾c. Rice steady. Potatoes quiet; Jerseys $1 75@2 25; Long Island $2 25@2 50; Jersey sweets, yellow, $2 25@2 75; New York $2 25. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Tallow firm; city ($2 00 perackage) 5¼c. Cotton seed oil quiet and featureless, closing steady. The quotations were; Prime crude, in barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 40@41c; off summer yellow 37½@38c; prime white 44; prime winter yellow 44c; prime meal $25 00.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Corn had the lead in the grain markets again to-day, declining sharply under liquidation. December corn closed 1½c lower; December wheat closed ⅞c down, and December oats ⅜c down. Provisions closed five to ten cents higher.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Cash quotations: Flour was steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 67¼@68¼c; No. 2 red 70¼@70¾. Corn—No. 2 —c; yellow 58¾c. Oats—No. 2 white 39c; No. 3 white 38@39c. Rye—No. 2 55@55¼c. Mess pork, per barrel, $14 20@14 95. Lard, per 100 lbs, $9 00@9 82½. Short rib sides, loose, $8 60@8 80. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 53¾@7 87½. Short clear sides, boxed, $9 30@9 40. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September 69¾@70¾, 69¾, 68¾, 68¾@69c; December 71⅞@72¾, 72¾, 70¾, 71¼c; May 75⅛@75¾, 75¾, 74¾, 74¼@74¾. Corn—No. 2 September 58@58⅛, 58¼, 56¾, 56¾c; December 59¾@61, 61, 58¼, 58¾c; May 61¾@63, 63, 60¾, 60¾c. Oats—No. 2 September 35¼, 35⅞, 35⅛, 35⅛c; December 37@37⅛, 37⅛, 36¾@36¾, 36¾c; May 39¾@39¾, 39¾, 38¾, 38¾@38¾c. Pork, per bbl—September —; October $14 97½, 14 97½, 14 80, 14 87½; January $16 10, 16 15, 16 05, 16 10. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $9 82½, 9 82½, 9 80, 9 80; October $9 72½, 9 80, 9 70, 9 77½; January $9 42½, 9 42½, 9 35, 9 42½. Short ribs per 100 lbs—September $8 70, 8 70, 8 70, 8 70; October $8 72½, 8 72½, 8 67½, 8 70; January $8 35, 8 35, 8 30, 8 35.

FOREIGN MARKET

BY Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 18, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices 1-16d higher; American middling fair 5¼d; good middling 5d; middling 4 11-16d; low middling 4 13-32d; good ordinary 4 5-32d; ordinary 3 31-32d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,100 bales American. Receipts 2,000 bales, including 1,900 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed easy; American middling (l. m. c.) September 4 32-64@4 33-64d seller; October (g. o. c.) 4 23-64d buyer; October and November 4 20-64d seller; November and December 4 18-64d seller; December and January 4 17-64@4 18-64d seller; January and February 4 17-64d buyer; February and March 4 17-64@4 18-64d seller; March and April 4 18-64d buyer; April and May 4 18-64d buyer.

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WOUNDED, BUT NOT IN BATTLE.

"Yes," said the colonel, giving his weed the reminiscent draw, "that is an ugly scar Xanthus has across his face, but though he has seen action and proved himself as brave as a lion he didn't get that wound in battle.

"We were camped at a small town near Lexington that week. It was near the end of the war, and while we had not been doing much fighting for a month or more our marching had been rather continuous and arduous. Xanthus then was a lieutenant in the Fifth infantry, and a braver or more daring fellow never wore the blue. He was the envy of all the young officers and the idol of the soldiers. He had the manners of a Chesterfield and the daring of a Robin Hood.

"Near where we were camping was the mansion of a wealthy old Kentucky farmer, a supposed Unionist, but who really was in sympathy with the Confederacy. In addition to other very desirable commodities he possessed a pretty young daughter, and from the first time that Xanthus saw her it was all over with him. He fell desperately in love and availed himself of every opportunity to go up to the big house, as we called it. And it wasn't long until the Venable girl—Venable was her father's name, David Venable—it wasn't long till she was as much in love with Xanthus as he was with her.

"Those who were on the inside watched the affair constantly and wondered how it would turn out. The little girl had a couple of brothers, who, for the sake of policy, treated Dick Xanthus' visits with respectful consideration, but they weren't blind, and they hated him in his blue uniform as the 'devil hates holy water.' They were big, brawny fellows who were only stay at homes because their principles would not let them enter the Union army and their own and their father's interests kept them out of the Confederate ranks.

"Finally, one day when things had been going on this way for some time, Dick asked the colonel for leave on the next night. Old Tom Baker was colonel of the regiment then, and he was a good hearted old codger. He winked knowingly as he gave the young lieutenant leave and warned him not to get into trouble.

"A quarter of an hour after Lieutenant Dick Xanthus had cantered away from the camp a half dozen of us young fellows were summoned to the colonel's presence. We found him pacing back and forth the length of his tent with a look of mock sternness on his kindly face. He addressed us as follows: 'Gentlemen, the discipline of this camp, it must be confessed, is rather lax. Continued sojourn in peaceful territory and consequent immunity from danger have brought about this result. I have allowed myself to give Lieutenant Xanthus leave to go outside the lines tonight, and it is my impression that he has gone to the Venable house to carry off the daughter of that household as a bride. Now, whether his action is right or not it is not for us to say, but a man in love is liable to encounter great dangers in accomplishing his end. But,' said the colonel, with a twinkle in his eye, 'all this is neither here nor there and of no consequence to you. My purpose in assembling you together is to send you out as a reconnoitering party. Go out and reconnoiter, no matter where or what, but don't do anything rash, but should you happen to find any soldier or officer of the United States in danger give him protection.'

"The colonel turned to his writing, and we knew that we had received our orders. Not a man who did not understand, and we turned away with smiles on our faces and a great thrill of sympathy in our hearts for the comrade who was braving danger alone for the sake of the girl that he loved.

"It was the work of but a few moments to swing into the saddle and go galloping away in the direction of the Venable household, where we knew our reconnoissance would be most valuable.

"It was a cold, clear night, one of the kind that puts spirit into a man and makes him feel like bounding over the ground. We were a light hearted set, happy as could be in our mission, and we laughed, chatted and joked as we galloped along under the bright starlit skies.

"Stetson was just remarking: 'Well, there don't seem to be much use for a reconnoitering party tonight. Here's one place where the course of true love seems to run smooth,' when the clatter of horses' hoofs broke upon our ears.

"We quickened our pace to the edge of a clump of poplars that commanded a view of the road. Even before we saw his flying horse and his face gleaming in the moonlight we knew instinctively that it was Dick Xanthus and that he was in trouble.

"We saw that his horse was carrying double, and we smiled even as we halted and drew our sabers, for the noise of pursuers sounded close upon the clatter of his horse's hoofs. But, thought we, he will soon pass our line, and then we will flash out and put his assailants to flight. We wished to take no rash measures.

"On they came, pursuer and pursued. The lieutenant was very near us, and we could see him looking down into the face of the little Venable girl, when, to our surprise, what should he do but whirl suddenly and go charging back straight into the face of his pursuers.

"It was all done in a moment. We saw his saber flash upward. Then we heard a woman scream, 'Don't kill my brother!' and saw the saber lowered. Then there was a flash of another steel, and Xanthus dropped from his horse, just as we dashed up and surrounded the two Venable boys.

"The girl was on the ground beside her lover, weeping and trying to stanch the flow of blood, while her brothers stood by, mad enough to end it all with her, but we took them all safe into camp. Of course we couldn't do anything with the fellows. They were only protecting their own. But they had to consent to the marriage of their sister with Xanthus, for, as you know, he did not die of his wound.

"A saber stroke, did you say? No, that's the unromantic thing about the whole affair. A saber stroke would have had the right tone about it, but they had cut our lieutenant with a big corn knife."
—Exchange.

Animal Peculiarities.

If a female fox (vixen) gets caught in a steel trap and is discovered by the male or fox dog, it is said he invariably kills her, although I have not heard it stated that the vixen would kill the dog fox or another vixen or the male another male.

If a cow becomes impaled on a fence and groans with pain, the whole herd instantly rush wildly to the spot, fight and apparently do their best to destroy her if not beaten off.

A hog confined with others in a pen breaks out and on being returned to the pen is at once set upon and bitten by the others.

Why, with all the instinct animals possess, is the desire so strong to injure or destroy rather than to help or rescue?—New York Sun.

Wood That Causes Sneezing.

Among its many curious products South Africa includes the "sneeze wood" tree, which takes its name from the fact that one cannot cut it with a saw without sneezing, as the fine dust has exactly the effect of snuff. Even in planing the wood it will sometimes cause sneezing. No insect, worm or barnacle will touch it. It is very bitter to the taste, and when placed in water it will sink. The color is light brown and the grain very close and hard. For dock work, piers or jetties it is a useful timber, lasting a long while under water.

Where the Shoe Pinched.

Young Girl (glancing at her pedal extremities)—Oh, dear! My feet are so awfully big!

Practical Auntie—But you stand on them all right, don't you?

Young Girl—Oh, yes, but so do other folks too.—New York Tribune.

"THE FRENCH SHORE."

Where Misery, Squalor, Hunger and Cold Rule In Newfoundland.

Misery, squalor and wretchedness, accentuated by an almost ceaseless struggle with hunger and cold, are the portion of the inhabitants of the "North Shore," in Newfoundland. Their little hamlets are perched in the rifts in the almost unbroken hills, and the fierce storms sweep the surface almost to their doorsteps, while for seven months of the year their coast is blockaded with ice and they are cut off from all communication with the outside world.

The only industry is codfishing, and cod is the sole medium of exchange. The people rarely see money, and barter is the system of trading, a quintal of cod being the unit of value. The needs of the fisher folk are only supplied by the itinerant trader, his schooner being laden with provisions, clothing and fishing appliances. Thus have these people lived for generations. They are ignorant, for the means of education are nonexistent, the children being content with what satisfied their fathers. The common objects of everyday life are unknown to them. They have neither horses nor cattle. Only a few of the older folk who have ventured south have any knowledge of these things.

There are no roads and therefore no vehicles. Travel is by boat during the summer and over the ice floes during the rest of the year. The few letters for the clergy and others who can read are conveyed to the settlements by dog teams during the winter, and, save for the fortnightly visit of the mailboat during the period of open navigation, a steamer is never seen by the residents.

With such marvels as electric telegraphs, telephones and electric light they are of course unfamiliar, and their standard of intelligence is best indicated by stating that it is not unusual to find a justice of the peace who cannot write his own name.—Chambers' Journal.

Playing It Down Low.

"I haven't much use for Blithersley," said the proud papa.

"Why?" asked the proud mamma.

"I listened to him for an hour today while he told me about what his baby had said or tried to say, and just as I was about to tell him about ours he left me, saying he had to catch a train."
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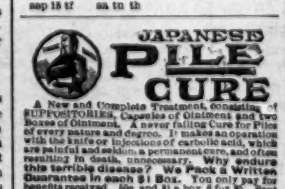

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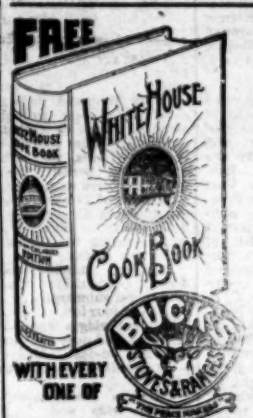

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WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.50 p m	7.30 a m
Ar Monroe	12.20 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.01 a m
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Ar Raleigh	1.34 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norlina	3.18 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.00 a m	3.50 p m
Ar Norfolk	....	....
Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.34 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norlina	3.18 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.45 a m	2.45 p m
Ar Richmond	6.52 a m	3.51 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	7.05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.20 p m
Ar New York	4.35 p m	5.30 a m

Train 38 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 51, leaving New York at 12.55 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 6.50 p. m.; Richmond 10.40 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.30 p. m.; Norfolk 9.00 p. m.; Raleigh 6.10 a. m., arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.30 p. m.; Chester 4.16 a. m.; Charlotte 5.30 a. m.; Monroe 6.05 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.40 a. m.

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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'r Trains Arrive	Pass'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Pass'r Trains Arrive	Pass'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 20	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	4 50	Newbern	9 27	7 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 52	7 37
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.20 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.[illegible] A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.01 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M., Weldon 4.30 P. M., Petersburg 5.58 P. M., Richmond 7.20 P. M., Norfolk 5.[illegible] P. M., Washington 11.30 P. M., Baltimore 1.02 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.[illegible] P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 6.3[illegible] P. M., Warsaw 6.43 P. M., Goldsboro 7.27 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 8.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.22 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 1.10 P. M., Petersburg 2.42 A. M., Richmond 3.30 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 5.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.02 A. M., New York 1.00 P. M., Boston 5.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.58 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.32 P. M., Sumter 9.12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 3.53 A. M., Augusta 7.05 A. M., Wacon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.30 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.4[illegible] A. M., Jacksonville 6.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.15 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.30 P. M., New York *3.30 P. M., Philadelphia 6.20 A. M., Baltimore 8.53 A. M., Washington 10.30 A. M., Richmond 2.05 P. M., Petersburg 3.46 A. M., Norfolk 9.30 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 1.40 P. M., Goldsboro 2.25 P. M., Warsaw 4.03 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M.

DAILY 9.35 A. M. No. 47—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 8.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.40 P. M., Washington 4.10 P. M., Richmond 6.37 P. M., Petersburg 7.46 P. M., †Norfolk 3.3[illegible] P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., †Tarboro 6.13 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.15 A. M., Leave Wilson 5.37 A. M., Goldsboro 6.40 A. M., Warsaw 7.30 A. M., Magnolia 7.58 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 9.35 A. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 5.30 A. M., Jacksonville 10.30 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.[illegible] A. M., Sanford 2.05 P. M., Jacksonville 6.00 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.40 A. M., Atlanta 7.30 A. M., Macon 10.50 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.20 P. M., Columbia 8.40 A. M., Sumter 8.06 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.25 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.20 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.50 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.55 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Marion 9.09 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.08 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Marion 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.18 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 73, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.15 P. M., Halifax 3.39 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.43 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.00 A. M., Greenville 8.00 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.06 A. m., Weldon 11.30 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 3.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M. and 5.15 P. M.; arrives Washington 12.30 A. M and 6.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.25 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 8.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.20 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3.30 A. M., 1.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.10 A. M., 4.00 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 12.45 A. M., 6.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.55 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M., Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.45 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.00 P. M., leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Kirod 8.10 A. M., returning leave Kirod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 8.06 P. M., Manning 8.43 P. M.; arrive Lane's 9.28 P. M.; leave Lane's 6.27 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., *7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., *8.30 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M.; *4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; *5.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.55 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.50 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.06 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.28 P. M., Bennettsville 9.32 P. M., Gibson 10.02 P. M. And leave Florence Sunday only 9.55 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

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Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.30 P. M., 10.45 P. M., arrive Selma 2.45 P. M., 11.15 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.35 P. M., 12.10 A. M., Howland 6.06 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.55 A. M., Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., 10.25 P. M., Dunn 1.54 P. M., Smithfield 1.42 P. M., Selma 1.50 P. M., 11.35 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.02 A. M., Creston 4.51 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.43 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.20 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 6.09 P. M. Daily.

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THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 19.

GAME BROKE UP IN A ROW.

Teams of the Southern League at Little Rock—Umpire and One of the Players Put in Jail.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LITTLE ROCK, Sept. 18.—The scheduled double-header between the Little Rock and Nashville teams of the Southern League broke up in a row this afternoon and resulted in the arrest of Umpire John E. Johnstone and first baseman George Wright, of the local club. Wright was bailed out within an hour, but Johnstone was refused bail until to-night on account of the fear of danger to him from the excited populace which surrounded the jail to the number of 5,000, yelling for a chance to get at him.

Nashville and Little Rock are neck-and-neck in the fight for the pennant, and there was considerable dissatisfaction expressed Monday when Umpire Johnstone arrived with the Nashville team to umpire the series, succeeding James Murray. Murray went on to umpire that day and declared the game forfeited to Little Rock, as Nashville refused to play unless Johnston umpired. Yesterday's game was played to a tie. Johnstone had received instructions to umpire the game, but the crowd was not satisfied. To-day trouble arose over Nashville announcing that Bailey, who had been the crack pitcher for Selma until Saturday, would pitch. Little Rock protested, but Johnstone claimed he had a permit from President Nicklin.

When Little Rock went to bat Bailey walked to the box over Little Rock's protest. Crozier, of Little Rock, was on second when Martin singled and Crozier attempted to score. The ball got to the plate just as Crozier did and Catcher Fisher swung at him and apparently missed him, but the umpire called Crozier out. First Baseman Wright, who was sitting on the bench ran into the diamond and knocked Johnstone down. When the umpire got up, it is alleged he attempted to strike Wright. Policemen ran to the diamond and placed Johnstone under arrest. Wright was also arrested and both were taken to the city jail. Nashville refused to continue the game unless Johnstone umpired. Meanwhile the crowd of 5,000 clamored for a game. Then Mayor Duley addressed the crowd, saying he deemed it best that Johnstone and Wright be taken to jail. Johnstone was released to-night on a bond signed by officers of the Little Rock Ball Association. He has declared both games set for to-day forfeited to Nashville, because he was removed from the ball park against his will.

EMMA GOLDMAN'S CASE.

Magistrate Decides to Release Her Under Bond Until the Case Comes Up for a Hearing.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Magistrate Prindiville to-day decided to allow Emma Goldman, the anarchist, her freedom until the case comes up for a hearing, under bonds of $20,000. Her attorneys said they had secured $15,000 and immediately left the court room to seek the additional money necessary. Meanwhile Miss Goldman was led back to the woman's annex at the Harrison street station. She was much disappointed at the amount of the bond required.

The hearing of Miss Goldman's case on the charge of "conspiracy to murder President McKinley," was set for to-morrow. Her counsel, however, learning that there would be no session of the court to-morrow because of the President's funeral, decided at the conference this morning to take the matter of bail before a magistrate to-day. The matter of Miss Goldman's guilt or innocence of the charge against her was not mentioned, as Justice Prindiville has decided to follow the example of Judge Chetlain, who has the cases of the other anarchists before him.

Miss Goldman was exceedingly cheerful when she was brought into court by chief Matron Keegan, and chatted vivaciously with her attorneys. She wore the blue walking skirt and dark jacket which have become familiar at the station.

Mr. Goeting, for Miss Goldman, addressed the court first. He said that while the defence was willing to allow the police every opportunity to secure evidence against Miss Goldman as well as the other anarchists, he was confident that Miss Goldman was entitled under the law to freedom under bonds. "I can assure this court," said the lawyer, "that my client, if under no bond at all, other than her word, would appear before this court whenever desired."

John E. Owens, representing the city prosecutor, made no objection to bail being allowed, but pleaded that in view of the importance of the case, and the national interest in it, that the bond be made as heavy as possible in accordance with the Illinois statutes.

LABOR LEADERS.

To Aid the Tobacco Workers in Their Fight Against the Trust.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 18.—At to-day's meeting of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor it was decided to aid the Tobacco Workers' International Union in its fight with the American, Continental, United States and Lovell and Puffington Tobacco Companies. The various textile unions, Vice President Duncan reported, would disband in November and all the unions become amalgamated in one comprehensive organization in affiliation with the Federation of Labor.

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By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CANTON, O., Sept. 18.—The sight was profoundly impressive as the funeral train drew into the little station at Canton to-day. All about the station and banked deep in the surrounding streets were the friends and neighbors of the martyred President, while drawn up back of the station were long lines of militiamen at present arms. Immediately in the rear of the station, at the mouth of Tenth street, was Troop A, of Cleveland, mounted on their black chargers, keeping the entrance of the line of march clear.

All about were the black symbols of mourning. The approach of the train was unheralded. No whistle was blown, no bell was rang. In absolute silence it rolled into the station. At the mere sight of the train the people who had been waiting there for hours were greatly affected. Women sobbed and men wept.

For a full minute after it had stopped no one appeared. Judge Day and his committee moved slowly down the platform in front of the line of soldiers to the catafalque car and waited.

Mrs. McKinley.

Suddenly, Abner McKinley, in deep black, his face tense and drawn, appeared in the vestibule of the car next that conveying the remains and a moment later Dr. Rixey appeared, half carrying a frail and broken form. It was Mrs. McKinley arrayed in the deepest mourning. Beneath the heavy black veil she held her handkerchief to her eyes and her slight figure shook convulsively. Gently she was lifted from the car, and supported by Dr. Rixey and Abner McKinley was practically carried to a carriage in waiting at the east end of the station. The door of the carriage was closed and Mrs. McKinley was driven hurriedly to her forlorn home on North Market street, which she had left only two weeks ago with her distinguished husband in the full vigor of manhood. Colonel Bingham, the President's aide, then gave directions for the

Removal of the Casket

from the car. The coffin was too large to be taken through the door and a broad window at the side was unscrewed and removed. While this was going on the floral pieces inside were carefully lifted out and placed upon the ground at the side of the track. When all was ready the soldiers and sailors who had accompanied the remains all the way from Buffalo emerged from the car and took up their places. The soldiers trailed their arms at their sides and the sailors held their drawn cutlasses at their sides. Only the body bearers were bare headed and unarmed.

Meantime, President Roosevelt, with his brother-in-law, Capt. Cowles, of the navy, in full uniform, at his side, had descended from the car ahead of that occupied by Mrs. McKinley. The President was met by Judge Grant, of the reception committee, and the official party then moved to the west of the station where they formed in line with the President at the head. All were uncovered. The casket was then lifted through the window and taken upon the brawny shoulders of the body bearers. Only the flag was there now. At sight of it, tears came unbidden and flowed freely.

The Sad Procession

was then formed. It was headed by Colonel Bingham in full uniform, a bow of crepe at the hilt of his sheathed sword.

Following and immediately preceding the casket was the local committee, headed by Judge Day. Then came the soldiers and sailors. Slowly they moved down the platform to the turn at the western end of the station, where the President and cabinet stood. As they reached the head of this line a clear drawn bugle call sounded a silvery requiem. Before the President and cabinet and the Ohio officials the coffin was then borne to the hearse. When it had been placed inside, the President and the official party entered the carriages. Meantime Admiral Dewey, Lieutenant General Miles and the other high officers of the army and navy, who composed the guard of honor, had moved around the east side of the station. They also entered carriages and took their place in the large procession that was now forming. All were attired in the full uniform of their rank. They were fairly ablaze with gold lace.

Signal to Move.

The shrillness of the bugles had given the first sign to the waiting multitude at the station that the casket was approaching. Instantly the long lines of soldiers became rigid, standing at present arms. The black horses of the Cleveland troop, immediately facing the station, stood motionless, their riders with sabers lowered. Slowly through the entrance came the stalwart soldiers and sailors with solemn tread bearing aloft the flag-covered coffin of the man they loved so well. As it came into view a great sigh went up from the dense throng. After the first glance many of the men and women turned away to hide their emotions, which they could not restrain. When the casket had been consigned to the hearse, three mounted trumpeters gave signals for the melancholy procession to move. A moment later the sound of "Nearer, My God, to Thee" came through the air as the Grand Army veterans with their band swung into line and took up the march toward the court house.

Viewing the Remains.

The members of President McKinley's old Commandery of Knights Templar, Canton Commandery No. 58, had asked the privilege of posting a sentry over the casket while it lay in state, and throughout the afternoon the guard was relieved every thirty minutes. Four detachments of militia were marched into the hall and drawn up in a line reaching from the entrance on the south to the bier. Strict orders were given to see that there was no delay in the crowd as it passed out of the building. When everything was ready for the public to enter, Joseph Saxton, uncle of Mrs. McKinley, an aged man, bowed deeply with the weight of years, entered from the east hall and passed up to the casket. He stood for fully two minutes gazing into the face of his distinguished kinsman. He then passed slowly down the hall, his head bowed, his lips twitching convulsively. A few final details were arranged and then the door was opened to the public. Two little girls were the first to approach the casket. Directly behind him was a tall powerful man with a red moustache. As he gazed into the casket he caught his breath in a quick sharp sob that was audible in every part of the hallway. He then gave way entirely and weeping bitterly, passed out. Many of the people as they looked upon the face of their dead friend whom they had seen but two weeks ago in full health, caught their breath at the change that was there. The President's face was much thinner than they had expected it would be and the sight that met their eyes shocked them greatly. The crowd was admitted four abreast, passing to the right and left of the casket by twos. No delay was permitted and fully 180 a minute passed the bier.

Thirty Thousand People.

All through the afternoon the crowd passed the catafalque approximately at the rate of one hundred every minute, making in the five hours in which the body lay in state, a total of 30,000 people, practically a number equal to the population of Canton. When the doors were closed at 6 o'clock, the line, four abreast, stretched fully one mile from the court house and people were still coming from the side streets to take their places in line at 6 o'clock, and then preparations were made for removing the body to the McKinley residence on North Market street, several squares from the court house. Canton Commandery of the G. A. R. acted as escort and there was no following. Arriving at the house the escort formed in line, presenting arms, while the coffin borne by the body bearers was taken into the house. It was placed in the front parlor where it will remain until it is removed to the church to-morrow afternoon. Guards were posted around the house to night and a number of sentries were placed in the front yard.

Funeral Services.

The funeral services will take place to-morrow at 1:30 P. M., at the First M. E. church, of which the martyred President was a communicant and trustee. They will be brief, by the expressed wish of the family. Rev. O. B. Milligan, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, in which President and Mrs. McKinley were married thirty years ago, will make the opening prayer. Dr. John Hall, of the Trinity Lutheran church, will make the first scriptual reading, and Dr. E. P. Herbruck, of the Trinity Reform church, the second. Dr. C. E. Manchester, pastor of the late President's church will deliver the only address. A quartiette will sing "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," and another quartiette will render Cardinal Newman's hymn, "Lead Kindly Light."

An imposing procession consisting of many of the G. A. R. posts in the State, the National Guard of Ohio, details of regulars from all branches of the service, fraternal, social and civic organizations and representations of commercial bodies from all over the country, the Governors of several States with their staffs, the House and Senate of the United States, the cabinet and President of the United States, will follow the remains to West Lawn cemetery, where they will be laid in the grave beside those of two children buried years ago.

Flowers by the Ton.

Railroad facilities seem inadequate to bring the people who are coming to-morrow. The number and beauty of the floral tributes which are arriving surpass belief. Flowers are literally coming by the ton. The hot houses of the country seem to have been emptied to supply them. The facilities of the little city of Canton are entirely inadequate to care for the thousands who are here, much less other thousands who are on the way. Although the local committee is doing everything in its power to provide shelter and food, many of the officials from Washington are obliged to sleep in the cars they came in and to-night hundreds are walking the street, seeking food and places to sleep. The population of Canton is about 31,000, but it is expected that over 100,000 people will be here to-morrow.

SIX PERSONS KILLED IN A TRAIN WRECK.

Twenty-five Others Injured—Collision On the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BROCKTON, MASS., Sept. 18.—A switch not properly set brought a passenger express and a heavy freight train together, with the resultant deaths of six passengers on the express train and injuries to twenty-five others this afternoon on the main line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, at Avon. It was running forty miles an hour at the time of the accident. Of the six persons killed but four have been identified. The two unidentified bodies are those of women, one quite elderly and very large in figure. The other unidentified victim was apparently 25 years of age, with light hair; evidently a Swede.

A freight train of thirty cars, laden with granite, coal and gravel, had just made up on a siding and was proceeding south in the same direction as the express. Engineer Sheldon, of the freight, figured that he had four minutes to spare to get on a side track further down. One of his train crew had set the switch on a "cross over" in such a manner that when the freight engine struck it it was turned on the main track. Engineer Sheldon did not notice this switch quickly enough to enable him to stop the train, and before he realized it the express train dashed past on the other track.

The engine of the express and baggage car succeeded in getting by before the freight engine reached the train, but the second car of the train, the smoker, was struck squarely in the middle and turned over, being thrown down the steep embankment, and landing on its side in some soft thick mud. The third car of the train, a passenger coach, was dragged over by the force of the compact and likewise landed on its side in the ditch. The last car on the train stayed on the track.

The collision came with such suddenness that the passengers in the three cars were thrown with great force from their seats. As the cars were instantly thrown upon their sides many persons were thrown upon each other and those underneath were forced through the windows into the mud beneath. The cylinder on the right side of the freight engine was torn off and escaping steam added to the horror. The noise caused by the accident attracted a crowd immediately, and it was only a short time before hundreds were assisting in the work of rescue.

Miss Caroline Lewis Gordon, daughter of General and Mrs. John B. Gordon, was married last night to Orton Bishop Brown, of Maine. The ceremony took place at "Sutherland," the general's residence, in the suburbs of Atlanta, and was the event of the season.

The Colombian legation officials at Washington express the view that the Colombian insurrection is practically crushed.

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TROPIC STORM REACHES NORFOLK

The City in the Grasp of One of the Fiercest Gales Ever Experienced.

ALL STREETS ARE FLOODED.

Torrential Rains at Other Places—Cloudburst at Americus, Ga.—Damage Estimated at $50,000—Washouts On Railroads.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NORFOLK, VA., Sept. 18.—The city of Norfolk is in the grasp of one of the fiercest southeast gales that it has experienced for some time. To-night the wind has reached a high velocity and the rainfall in the past twenty-four hours is over four inches. Nearly all the streets in the lower section of the city are flooded and in some places the water reaches a depth of over three feet. Trees have been blown down by the winds.

At Cape Henry the gale has blown thirty-four or thirty-five miles an hour. Thus far the drowning of four negroes in a fish boat at Ocean View is the only fatality reported along the coast.

Great Damage at Americus, Ga.

ATLANTA, GA., Sept. 18.—A *Constitution* special from Americus, Ga., says:

"Fifty thousand dollars will not cover the damage wrought in and about Americus by a cloudburst last night. The rain poured incessantly for twelve hours, ten inches falling within that period. Many bridges in the city were washed away.

Carloads of lumber in the yards of the Americus Construction Company floated away to Muckalee creek, the water standing five feet deep in the company's yards.

The city pumping station was flooded, extinguishing the fires under boilers and submerging the pumps to a depth of four feet.

Railroad bridges were damaged considerably, and only one train reached Americus to-day. Many cattle in pastures below Americus were drowned.

Muckalee creek spread out half a mile wide and hundreds of acres of cotton were destroyed. It is estimated that thousands of bales of cotton will be lost as a result of the flood. Much properly damage resulted in this county.

FORT GAINES, GA., Sept. 18.—The precipitation here in the past twenty-four hours measured 8.22 inches in the government rain gauge. Cotton is greatly damaged. No trains have arrived or departed to-day.

MONTEZUMA, GA., Sept. 18.—The rainfall here in the past twenty-four hours was the heaviest known in years. All trains have been abandoned for the present and creeks and rivers are impassable.

High Water at Sanford.

SANFORD, N. C., Sept. 18.—High water in Little Buffalo creek from the heavy rains during the past thirty-six hours caused a shut down in the cotton mills here to-day. A washout on the Seaboard Air Line between here and Colon delayed traffic about six hours.

Railroad Traffic Delayed.

BRUNSWICK, GA., Sept. 18.—Owing to high water in the streams between Macon and Cochran, no trains were run out of Brunswick on the Southern Railway to-night and no trains have reached Brunswick over the Southern to-day. Arrangements were made by President Brown to-night to send mail on a Plant system freight that leaves Brunswick at midnight for Waycross.

General Agent Candler, of the Southern Railway, states that a large force of men is stationed near the flood, ready to push forward immediately after the water subsides.

ATLANTA, GA., Sept. 18.—Portions of Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina have been visited by terrific rains in the past twenty four hours, and in some sections considerable damage was done. Near Buena Vista, Ga., several county bridges and one mill were washed away. The city of Oglethorpe, Ga., is isolated by washouts in all directions, and much damage to crops is reported. Americus, Ga., reports an unofficial precipitation of nine inches in the past thirty-six hours. The damage is estimated at $15,000. The water works plant had to be abandoned on account of the high water, and washouts are reported on the Central of Georgia and Seaboard Air Line, and some damage to cotton is reported from various points. The heavy rains have been followed by a decided drop in temperature.

ACCEPTED RE-APPOINTMENT.

All Members of President McKinley's Cabinet Will Retain Positions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—It was stated on excellent authority to day that all members of the cabinet have accepted the re-appointment tendered by President Roosevelt yesterday. The manner in which the President made the tender rendered it impossible for the members of the cabinet to take any other course, as they already are in the positions and cannot decline, but must resign their places if they desire to leave the cabinet.

Another feature of the relations of the new President with the last administration became known to-day, to the effect that Mr. Roosevelt has been fully advised and has approved of the negotiations in progress relative to the proposed isthmian canal treaty with England.

ASSASSIN CZOLGOSZ.

Messrs. Lewis and Titus Have Accepted Assignment to Act as His Counsel.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Lorrain L. Lewis and Robert C. Titus have accepted the assignment of Judge Emory in the county court to act as counsel for Leon F. Czolgosz upon his trial for murder in the first degree in killing President McKinley. Judge Titus will return from Milwaukee on Friday and will then consult with Judge Lewis and determine the line of defence to be pursued.

Czolgosz is now confined in the Erie county jail. He is kept in close confinement in the tier of iron cells set apart for murderers and is under guard dayand night. He isn't allowed to read or smoke and the guards are not allowed to converse with him. No one aside from his attorneys will be allowed to see him.

A Columbus, Ga., dispatch says that a washout on the Central of Georgia railroad has delayed all trains between Columbus and Macon. Repairs are being made as rapidly as possible.

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THE CZAR'S VISIT TO FRANCE

President Loubet Met the Imperial Couple. Precautions Taken to Protect Their Majesties.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

COMPIEGNE, Sept. 18.—The Czar's first day on French soil passed without untoward incident, except the delay of a couple of hours in docking the Standard, the Russian Imperial yacht, at Dunkirk. The President's train, conveying M. Loubet and the Czar and Czarina, with their suite, arrived at Compiegne this evening. The utmost vigilance was exercised along the railroad track. The train dashed through a double row of bayonets and drawn sabres, as the infantry were reinforced by regulars of the dragoons and hussars. In some cases a double line of troops was on each side of the track, the first line being foot soldiers and the second cavalry. Any outrage along the track was utterly impossible, as no one was allowed to approach it.

The town of Compiegne was brilliantly illuminated, the whole route from the station to the chateau being decorated with festoons and colored lights. The streets were entirely clear of the public and the sidewalks were occupied by soldiers. Every window, however, was filled with spectators, who greeted Emperor Nicholas with an incessant roar of cheers.

A four-horse landau, with the Czarina and her ladies of honor, headed the procession, Emperor Nicholas and President Loubet following together. At the back of their landau sat a presidential footman and a scarlet coated Cossack. Cannon salutes were fired and the bands played "The Marseillaise" and Russian hymns until the chateau was reached. This beautiful structure was illuminated with lines of electric lamps. Mme. Loubet was waiting there to receive the imperial guests. The evening was spent quietly at the castle, M. and Mme. Loubet and the Czar and Czarina dining in thier respective apartments.

THE ALLIED THIRD PARTY.

Conference at Kansas City—The Platform as Accepted by the Different Elements.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—The allied third party conference had not been called to order at 2 o'clock to-day. The day was spent in separate conferences by the different contingents and when the contingents adjourned at 6 o'clock to meet again at 8 o'clock tonight, the middle of the road Populists were not ready to join the other parties in joint conference. The Populists insist that the plan of organization shall be decided upon before the conference shall be called to order, when it will be ratified by the conference. The Populist delegates are in the minority and do not propose to enter into a joint conference until the other forces agree to allow them sufficient voting strength to protect themselves on the floor. The conference committees held a joint session and agreed that the organization shall be called the "allied party," until the convention, which is to meet six months hence, shall choose the permanent name.

The platform accepted by the different elements, which doubtless will be adopted by the conference, demands the initiative and referendum and public ownership of public utilities; declares against land speculation and alien ownership; favors "scientific money based on the wealth of the people of the nation, and not redeemable in any specific commodity, but to be full legal tender for all debts, to be issued by the government only, without the intervention of banks, in sufficient quantities to meet the requirements of commerce;" demands just and natural taxation and the election of President, Vice President, Federal Judges and Senators by direct vote; favors the creation of the Department of Labor, and equitable arbitration; favors the establisment of postal savings banks, and favors such constitutional amendments as may be necessary to make the laws required.

M'KINLEY AND THE SOUTH.

Senator McLaurin of South Carolina Tells of an Interview He Had With the Late President.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 18.—In a letter to the *Manufacturers' Record* of this city, United States Senator J. L. McLaurin, of South Carolina, tells of an interview he had with President McKinley one day during the early days of the Spanish war.

"The President," says Senator McLaurin, "spoke beautifully and tenderly of the Southern people, and how he intended to use the power and influence of his great office to reunite our country.

"I can recall the words, but who can paint the earnestness and eloquence as, raising one hand on high, he said; 'Senator, by the help of God, I propose to be the President of the whole country, the South as much as the North, and before the end of my term the South will understand this.'

"No wonder, as a true Southern man, I loved and trusted President McKinley. I stood by him in the Senate and elsewhere, and I thank God that I did.

"Patriotic in purpose, and pure in heart, his noble soul is now with Him whom the hate of man nailed to the cross; like Lincoln, who saved the country, McKinley who re-united it, dies a martyr to envy and hate."

Announcement is made that the American Bankers Association has decided to hold its annual convention at Milwaukee, October 15, 16 and 17th.

WARM WIRELETS

In a collision between freight trains on the Illinois Central railroad, between Abbeville and Waterford, Miss., Fireman Jake Gentry was killed and Engineer Ed Sykes badly injured.

Dr. John H. McKowen, of Clinton, La., was shot and killed by State Senator R. Emerson Thompson of East Feliciana parish, La. There had been bad feeling between the parties for some time.

Four negro fishermen, names not known, were drowned yesterday in the fierce southwester off Cape Henry, Va. The unfortunate men were employed at the fishery of Lewis & May near Ocean View and were attempting to reach a pound net when the frail boat capsized.

Thought He Was Crazy.

Sir Morell Mackenzie at an "at home" chanced to converse for some time with a lady unknown to him. It happened to be a celebrated authoress, who introduced herself with these words, "I am John Strange Winter." Sir Morell did not read novels and gazed at her wonderingly. She added, "'Bootles' Baby,' you know." "Yes, yes, of course," he answered soothingly.

He afterward remarked to his hostess that the poor lady was very mad indeed. First she had told him that she was a man and then that she was somebody's baby.

Regular Anniversary.

Harry—Girls take things so literally, you know.

Fred—As for example?

Harry—Five years ago, when my sister was 23, I wished her many happy returns. And if you'll believe it, her twenty-fifth birthday returns regularly every year.—Boston Transcript.

Royal Baby Powder.

When Edward VII was born, on Nov. 9, in the second year of Queen Victoria's marriage, every one at Buckingham palace went wild with delight. Bells rang and guns boomed with glad tidings all over the kingdom. Douglas Jerrold, amid the roaring of the ordnance, said, "Dear me, how they do powder these royal babies!"

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Notice—The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Onslow Land and Investment Co. will be held at the office of the undersigned, Room No. 7, Masonic Temple, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, September 24th, 1901, at 12 o'clock M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. sep 14 9t

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